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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Grp.A.U. : 3727
Examiner : Tri M. Mai
Docket No. : 2870/296

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Response After Final

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on May 14, 2003, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

Claim Amendments

Please amend the claims in accordance with the attached "Amended Claims" document (2 pages).

REMARKS

Applicant *again* notes that an Associate Power including a requested change of mailing address for correspondence in the present application was filed concurrently with Applicants Election and Amendment dated August 23, 2002. The present Office Action *again* fails to acknowledge the filing of the Associate Power, and the Applicant notes that the Office Action was *again* incorrectly mailed to Applicants' former counsel (Kenyon & Kenyon). Applicants respectfully request that the Associate

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